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VIA ELECTRONIC FILING

Mr. William F. Caton  
Acting Secretary  
Federal Communications Commission  
445 12<sup>th</sup> Street, SW, Room TWB-204  
Washington, DC 20554

Re: *Application by Verizon New England Inc., et. al. To Provide In-Region, InterLATA Services in Vermont, CC Docket No. 02-7*

Dear Mr. Caton:

On Thursday, April 11, 2002, Leonard Cali, Robert Quinn and the undersigned, all of AT&T, had a telephone conversation with Commissioner Kevin Martin and Daniel Gonzalez and Emily Willeford of the Commissioner's staff. AT&T reiterated its arguments that Verizon's Vermont switching and daily usage feed rates are not cost-based and are significantly greater than the corresponding rates recently approved by the New York Public Service Commission. We also explained that Verizon's overstated rates preclude competitive entry in the Vermont local market and approval of Verizon's application would not be in the public interest. AT&T's statements were consistent with its prior submissions in this proceeding.

Pursuant to Commission rules, I am filing one electronic copy of this Notice and request that you place it in the record of the above-captioned proceeding.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in cursive script that reads "Amy L. Alvarez".

cc: Daniel Gonzalez  
Gary Remondino  
Julie Veach  
Emily Willeford  
Kelly Trainor (DOJ)  
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